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Applicant: VERBOOM, Johannes J.

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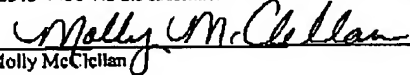
Title: OPTIMIZED DATA STORAGE SYSTEM
AND METHOD FOR OPTICAL STORAGE
SYSTEM

Docket No: 18504-333

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated March 15,
2005, of the Examiner rejecting claims 1-31.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ Appeal fee (37 CFR 1.17(e));☐ other than small entity: \$500☒ small entity \$250☒ Small Entity Status is hereby claimed.2. ☐ A petition and fee for an extension of time for reply to the rejection is
attached.

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